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November 10, 2022

## VIA E-MAIL AND CM/ECF

The Honorable Judge Louis A. Scarcella United Stated Bankruptcy Judge United States Bankruptcy Court Eastern District of New York Alfonse M. D'Amato Federal Courthouse 290 Federal Plaza Central Islip, NY 17722

Re: In re Broadbridge LA LLC, Case No. 22-72048 (LAS) (the "Chapter 11 Case")

## Dear Judge Scarcella:

Consistent with Mr. Nash's desire to keep the Court apprised of developments concerning this Chapter 11 Case, we respectfully submit this letter to inform the Court of the below facts. In short, the \$9.5 million deposit due under the Debtor's purported sale contract has not been paid, and Mr. Nash represented in writing that if it was not paid by today at Noon, which it was not, that the sale contract would terminate. The relevant facts are:

- On October 31, 2022, Mr. Nash submitted a letter to the Court, filed at ECF No. 54, representing that Quintin E. Primo III "confirm[ed] that the Deposit of \$9,500,000 is scheduled to be funded into escrow this week," meaning the week of October 31, 2022. Despite that representation, the deposit was not funded the week of October 31, 2022.
- At last week's status conference held before the Court on Friday, November 4, 2022, Mr. Nash he acknowledged that he had not received the deposit but expressed his optimism that the \$9.5 million deposit would be paid either later that day or by the following Monday, November 7, 2022. Despite that representation, the deposit was not funded on November 4<sup>th</sup>, or by close of business on November 7<sup>th</sup>.

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- On November 7, 2022, the Debtor filed the *Debtor's Disclosure Statement Pursuant to Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code* at ECF No. 58 (the "Disclosure Statement"). The Disclosure Statement stated that the deposit was not paid due to "certain delays" and that, "[i]f the deposit is not received by November 9, 2022 ..., the Debtor will not proceed with Capri as the buyer." (Disclosure Statement ¶ 58). Despite that representation, the deposit was not funded on November 9<sup>th</sup>.
- Despite these representations, Mr. Nash sent an email to representatives of the potential purchaser this morning, copying me, extending the deadline to pay the deposit "until 12 noon." Mr. Nash's email unequivocally stated that "this is the last and final extension and the contract will be terminated at that time without the deposit." Emphasis added. A true and correct copy of Mr. Nash's email is enclosed herein. Despite Mr. Nash's email, the deposit was not paid by noon today.
- Instead of paying the \$9.5 million deposit in full by noon today, the representatives of the potential purchaser apparently sent a response to Mr. Nash claiming that \$2 million would be paid by 2 p.m. today, with the remaining \$7.5 million to be paid by November 18, 2022 (i.e., well after the due diligence period expires). In any event, even the fraction of the deposit was apparently not paid by 2:00 p.m. today.
- However, the representatives' response is irrelevant because the deposit has repeatedly not been paid, and as represented by Mr. Nash, the sales contract was to concurrently terminate with the failure to fund today by Noon. We understand that, despite his unequivocal "last and final" representation, Mr. Nash has apparently agreed to have the deposit paid as described in the immediately above bullet point.

Given the above facts, the Secured Creditor's position is that there is no viable sale with respect to this specific purchaser.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Lawrence J. Kotler

Lawrence J. Kotler

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cc: Kevin J. Nash, Esq. (by email and CM/ECF)
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**Subject: Contract** 

## Gentlemen

Given last night's communication w Joel, I am extending the deadline for funding the contract until 12 noon , however this is the last and final extension and the contract will be terminated at that time without the deposit. I am copying lender's counsel who is tracking the transaction as well, please be guided accordingly Sent from my iPhone